

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 August 1 2015 to 0600 August 2 2015



Resident of Morgan Valley Ridge prepares to evacuate from the Rocky Fire, Lake County, on 07/30/15

Photo Credit: Associated Press

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Train Derailment , Bloomington, San Bernardino County SPILL # 15-4494

On 08/02/15 at 0424 hours, the California State Warning Center was advised by Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) of a derailment. The Reporting Party states a single locomotive derailed in the upright position due to coming in contact with a derail device. The incident occurred at MPM 535 of the Alhambra sub-division within the Colton Railyard. The cause of the incident was human error. There were no injuries or hazardous materials release associated with this incident. The locomotive number is unknown at this time. The State Warning Center made all required notifications including, but not limited to, Federal and Local agencies.

SOC Activation for California Wildfires

- The State Operations Center (SOC) will be activating at Level 2 from 0900-1900 hours today due to the wildfires burning throughout California. Per Coastal Region management, the Coastal REOC is also at level 2 from 0900 to 1900 hours today. The Inland REOC remains activated at Level 1.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

- Fire Weather is still a concern for mainly northern California as scattered showers and thunderstorms continue through the weekend bringing the possibility of a few lightning induced fire starts.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwwa_bc_cal.php

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

Sub-tropical moisture streaming in from the south and a vigorous low off the coast will combine to generate scattered showers and thunderstorms across northwest California through Sunday. Conditions will gradually improve Monday with more seasonal temperatures expected.

Medford Weather:

An upper trough will remain offshore and continue to pump mid level moisture and instability over the region through Sunday evening. There will be several disturbances moving over the area as well and the low levels are still very dry, so most but the strongest storms will likely produce only light rain. All of this will result in a persistent chance for mostly dry thunderstorms over much of the region through Sunday morning. Storms become wetter Sunday evening and Monday. The greatest threat for storms will be during the afternoon and evening hours, however, storms may continue overnight in many locations.

Reno Weather:

Showers and thunderstorms continue through the weekend with gusty outflow winds and possibly a few lightning induced fire starts. Lightning and locally heavy rainfall will be the main threats from this weekend's storms. Afternoon temperatures will fall to near average on Sunday with thunderstorm chances continuing Monday and Tuesday.

San Francisco Weather:

A subtle cooling trend is forecast to continue into early next week as onshore flow and the marine influence increases. Aside from patchy coastal drizzle and fog during the overnight and early morning hours, dry weather conditions will likely persist through the forecast period.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

Cooler weather next week. Daytime highs near normal or below normal for much of next week. Scattered mountain thunderstorms through Sunday, elsewhere continued dry. Slight chance of a return of mainly mountain thunderstorms Tuesday.

Hanford Weather:

A cooling trend will take place over central California Sunday into next week with dry conditions across the area by Tuesday. A warming trend will occur over central California Wednesday and Thursday as high pressure over southern California slowly nudges north into the area.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

A trough of low pressure off the coast and a ridge of high pressure over the four corners region will result in near normal temperatures in most locations through next week, along with night through morning low clouds and fog west of the mountains. Slight cooling is possible by late next week as low pressure off the coast moves east.

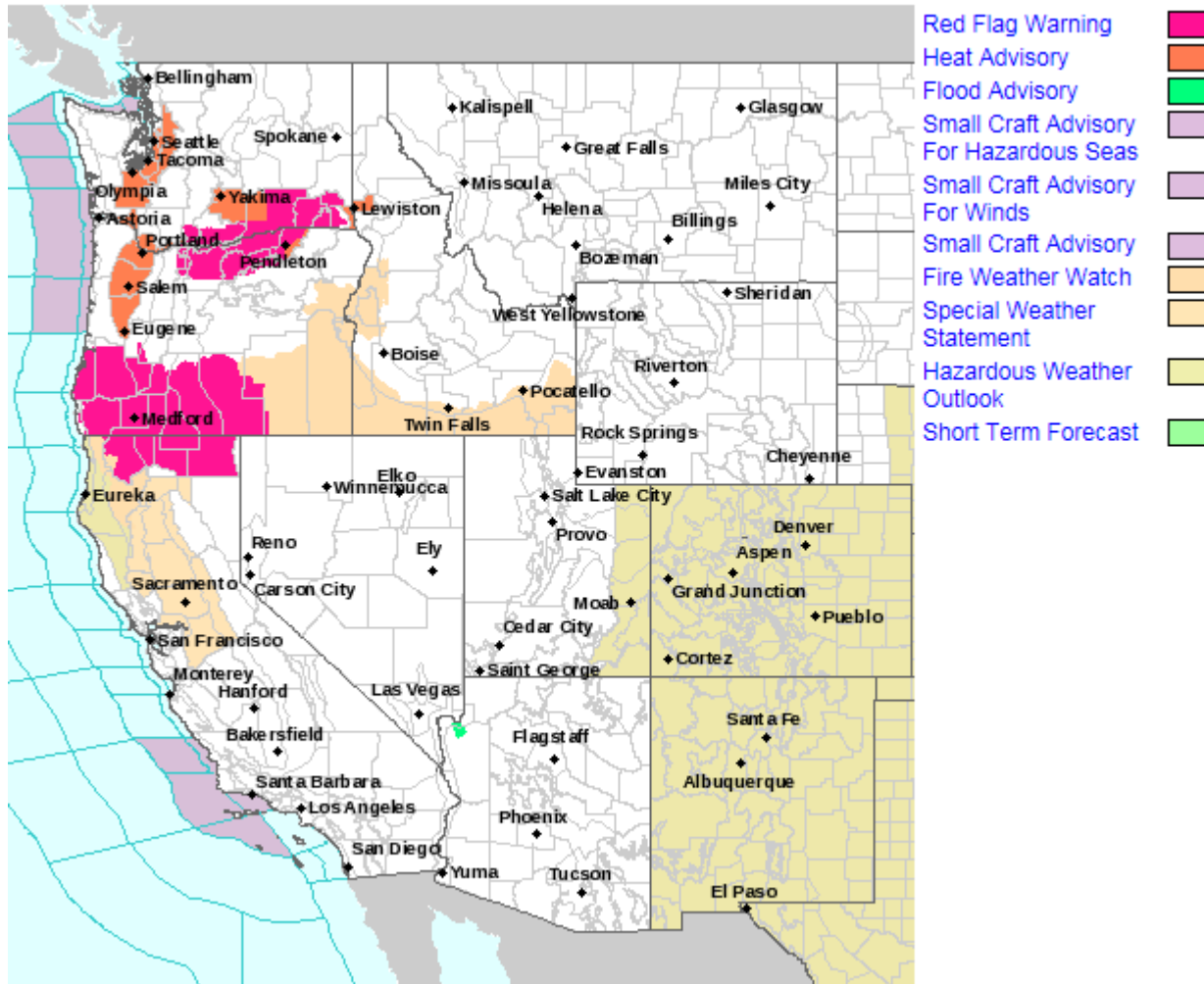
Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

A low pressure trough off the West Coast will force monsoon moisture eastward over Arizona through the middle of next week. The trough will also keep temperatures near their seasonal averages for early August. The marine layer will be deep enough for low clouds to reach the western valleys each night and retreat to near the coast each afternoon. Gusty west winds will surface in the mountains and deserts each afternoon.

Southeast California Weather:

A few showers and thunderstorms are expected again today and early evening mainly east and north of Las Vegas as a weak disturbance moves north through the region. Overnight tonight, much drier and more stable air will work into the region confining any storms to mainly northern Inyo County Monday. Dry conditions are expected Tuesday and Wednesday, but thunderstorms chances will creep back into Arizona by the end of the week.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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SITUATION SUMMARY

NOTE: Detailed Fire Information will be reported in a Cal OES/Cal Fire Joint Report daily at 0900 hours and 2000 hours

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Fork Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Rocky, Vegetation Fire, Lake County
 - [An updated Fire Management Assistance Grant \(FMAG\) for the Rocky Fire was submitted to Cal OES on 08/01/15 and submitted to FEMA Region IX for approval. The State's request was approved on 2 August 2015 at 0046 PDT / 0346 EDT.](#)
- Swedes, Vegetation Fire, Butte County
- Humboldt LCA, Vegetation Fire, Humboldt County
- Wragg, Vegetation Fire, Napa and Solano and Yolo Counties
- Lowell, Vegetation Fire, Nevada County
- Barker, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Frog, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County

New

- [Water, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County](#)
 - [100 acres, 0% contained](#)

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- Big Creek, Vegetation Fire, Tuolumne County
- Willow, Vegetation Fire, Madera County
- Cabin, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County

New

- Scales, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County
 - 50 acres, 2% contained

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 2

Northern California

Preparedness Level 4, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 3

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance provided an initial 1,000 copies of the 2015 Drought Brochure to DWR for distribution at the State Fair beginning Friday, July 10, 2015. DWR requested an additional 1,000 copies of the brochure. This subsequent order was completed and delivered on July 21, 2015.
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

Cal OES Recovery

Cal OES Recovery - Individual Assistance

San Diego County

- As a result of flooding that began July 19, 2015, in San Diego County, a joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), Cal OES Individual Assistance, and the County of San Diego OES began on Tuesday, July 28, 2015. In addition, the County opened a Local Assistance Center on at the Ramona Library, 1275 Main Street, Ramona, CA 92065, Tuesday, July 28, 2015, through Wednesday, July 29, 2015, 9:30 a.m. -8:00 p.m. and Thursday, July 30, 2015, through Saturday, August 1, 2015, 9:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

CAL OES MISSIONS

New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14579 08/02/15 0502 hours:** Kern County Sheriff is requesting nighttime aerial infrared observation of an area near Jawbone Creek in Eastern Kern County. They are looking for a homicide suspect that is believed to be hiding in the area. Kern is following tracks. The last reported location is 35° 22.404' -118° 14.524'. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources.

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14555 07/31/15, 2046 hours:** Trinity County S.O. is requesting 10-15 marked patrol units with sworn personnel, to accompany their sworn personnel, to assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed area's, enforcing road blocks, etc. in current fire area's in their county. The mutual aid is to report to Trinity S.O. in Weaverville on Saturday, Aug 1, at 1000 hrs. This is for one (1) Operational Period only. Shasta S.O., as the Region III Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Coordinator (RMAC), was tasked with filling this request from within Region III. The LDO will assist them further if the request cannot be filled in-region. Trinity S.O. also requested a portable fuel truck capable of filling patrol vehicles. With no suitable resource available in Region III, LDO contacted A/C Smithson who coordinated with Fresno S.O. for use of their fuel truck but it was not available. At 2251 hrs. Shasta S.O. advised that Trinity S.O. would contact a local gas company for a fuel delivery. They also confirmed the mutual aid request for patrol vehicles and personnel was partially filled as follows: Glenn County S.O. (3), Willows PD (1), Willits PD (1). Tehama (1), Shasta S.O. (1). 2302 hrs., LDO contacted Alameda County S.O. as the Region III Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) Coordinator for assistance in filling the balance of Trinity's request. Due to the late hour and logistical issues with a long range deployment, I asked Alameda SO to contact only Humboldt S.O. for their assistance. Humboldt S.O. advised due to fires in their county they would be unable to assist. LDO will contact Trinity this morning (8/1) to discuss the request. **Update: 08/01/15, 0940 hours,** Trinity S.O. has made an additional request for 10-15 marked patrol units for Operational Periods on Sunday and Monday. LDO is working with D/C Tassone to contact the Region IV RMAC for resources to assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed area's, enforcing road blocks, etc. in current fire area's in their county. Reporting time for all mutual aid will be Sunday morning at 0900 hrs at the Sheriff's Office in Weaverville. **Mission Ongoing**

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- **2013-LAW-1563 07/23/15 1225 hours:** Plumas County Sheriffs Office (PCSO) has requested Human Remains Detection K9 to search a specific site regarding a 30 year old cold case. LDO contacted K9 Coordinator who is currently securing K9 handlers from a team located out of Santa Clara County. PCSO has asked for two separate search dates to confirm any potential findings. Timeline for search efforts: August 1 - 6, 2015, Cal OES is currently working on securing these resources.
- **2015-LAW-14276 07/24/15 1710 hours:** El Dorado County Sheriff's Office has requested 20 motorcycle and 20 quad ATV searcher resources to assist in the search of a missing person. **UPDATE:** EDSO requested assistance from AFRCC to assist with cell phone forensics, AFRCC accepted mission and assisted. EDSO requested California National Guard to assist with night vision and FLIR capabilities. CNG accepted the mission and flew the mission on Saturday night with negative results. More ground searchers and motorcycle searchers were requested for Sunday. LDO re-contacted all existing SAR units as well as neighboring counties. Sacramento, Shasta, Tehama and Marin Counties will assist. **UPDATE:** 7/27/15 at 1045 hours, EDSO is requesting CNG today to assist in the search, CNG accepted the mission and is staffing up for the mission. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources. **UPDATE:** 7/28/15 would be continued, mutual aid resources were being released. El Dorado would be using their county resources to continue with today's missions. **UPDATE: 7/29/15 1000 hours,** confirmed resources for Thursday's mission: K9s (9-10), Bay Area Mtn. Rescue (9) SAR, Placer County (18) SAR, Contra Costa (2) SAR, Santa Clara County (3), Stanislaus County (5).

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14598 08/01/15, 1656 hours,** International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised an activation of a delorme device in Fresno County area. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Update 08/01/15, mission closed at LDO's request.**
- **2015-LAW-14592 08/01/15 1554 hours,** Solano Co SO requesting trailing dogs for a search. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Update 08/01/15, mission closed at LDO's request.**
- **2015-LAW-14570 08/01/15, 1008 hours,** International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised an activation of a delorme device at GPS coordinates 37 3 18N and 118 30 48W, which plots in Fresno County and Kings National Park. Cal OES coordinating resources. **Update 08/01/15, mission closed at LDO's request.**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.